has been received:

Gleanings from National Headquarters--- Notes from the Departments.

ELEVENTH NATIONAL CONVENTION.

Grand Reunion of W.R.C. Workers at Indianapolis-The Outlook Favorable for a Pleasant and Profitable Week.

Eleventh National Convention, W. R. C., is now in session in Roberts Park M. E. Church, Indianapolis, provided for Convention, beautifully decorated and provided with every convenience, by the Ladies' Citzens' Committee, Flora Wulschner, Past Department President,

W.R.C., Chairman. The Indianapolis ladies have shown themselves equal to the enerous duties imposed upon them, and all of the arrangements are complete. Convention is served with daily luncheon, as will be the other patriotic societies, for which the Citizens' Committee has made

The Department delegations of Massachuseits and New York are quartered at the Deni- Home son, and both are steadily pressing the claims of Past Department President Sarah C. Mink for the National Presidency. Among the prob-Bianca L. Muller, of Tennessee. Both are able and energetic women, but thus far Past Department President Mink is in the lead. Pennsylvania is for her, and Past National President Annie Wittenmyer will make the nominating speech. One peculiarity of the 11th National Convention is that the candidates in the field are few, and, with rare exceptions, the women pushed to the front are not seeking the offices. This is as it should be.

As a presiding officer National President Margaret Ray Wickins has few equals, and this of itself will mark a dignified business meeting throughout.

CONVENTION COURTESIES.

Past Department President Agnes Hitt served as Chairman of the Committee on Arrangements for the W.R.C. reception at the Propyleum, which was a guaranty of a splendid success. The other members of the comand Past Department officers.

The general reception to ladies of the W.R.C., Ladies of the G.A.R., and kindred societies, general direction of Mrs. Thomas Sullivan, and was a pleasant fraternal assemblage.

The Department of Massachusetts, W.R.C., Emily L. Clark Department President, is holding daily receptions at Parlor 40, Denison. President Clark is assisted by National and Department officers, past and present.

The New York delegation, headed by Department President Kate E. Jones, is holding receptions at Parlor 11, Denison Hotel, where many visitors, G.A.R. and W.R.C., call and

Department President Augusta J. Hammond and staff hold a reception at their Headquarters, 139 North Meridian street, from 5:30 to 7:30,

At Headquarters, Department of Illinois, Desisted by an active corps of officers in receiving many callers, National and Department, G.A.R. and W.R.C. The Reception Committee is headed by Elizabeth Means, Chief-of-Staff.

Department of Indiana, W.R.C., to the Department of Indiana, G. A.R., made in the rotunda of the Capitol, Monday evening, was an auspicious opening of a notable week.

Department President Caroline W. Waddell, of Ohio, and staff are occupying parlor 64 at the Bates House, tendered them by the Department Commander, L. H. Williams, for reception purposes.

Hendquarters Department of Maine are at the Denison, the delegation headed by that sterling worker Department President Ella partment officers, past and present. GROWTH OF THE W.R.C.

A neat and comprehensive National roster, based an the returns made to the National Secretary for the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1892,

contains the	interesting	rapie of n
ures:		
Years.	Corps.	Members.
1884	234	10,085
1885		23,082
	834	
1888	1,806	63,214
1889		73,055
	2,160	
1891	9.556	50,596

BELIEF CORPS WORK IN MAINE. DEAR TRIBUNE: Maine is coming to the past labor, and the dependents of Union sol-

This movement, originating in the form of She was received with much enthusiasm, and the Home project met with the hearty approval of every member of Encampment, and with three cheers and a tiger these veterans pledged themselves to co-operate with the W.R.C. for facts. the fulfillment of this grand enterprise.

A committee from the W.R.C., of which the Department President is Chairman, and a like | Corps, the duties of her office would be most partment Commander is Chairman, have united | economically and wisely handled. in becoming a corporate body, and are now ready to receive donations of land, buildings, such an institution.

work, in which all are prepared to fulfill the obligations taken when they become members | Charity, and Loyalty, I am, yours, of these associate Orders. The cause is a common one, and will serve to knit more closely the fraternal ties which bind them together. The Sons of Veterans and their auxiliary are also interested, and pledge their loyal support to its advancement, so that with the by the earnest sympathy and hearty concurrence of the able and efficient Department Commanders of the G.A.R., our Home seems an

assured success. The utmost harmony prevails between the State and National organizations in this Department. An invitation was extended Ella Jordan Mason, Department President of the National W.R.C., to attend the Convention of the State W.R.C. recently held in Gardiner, but owing to prior business engagements which could not be postponed, she was obliged to decline the invitation.

By invitation of Bosworth Post, of Portland, President Mason recently visited that place, and was shown every courtesy by their auxiliary, which is one of the largest Corps in the State, Aug. 2, at the home of Capt. Fenton Bagley and and the mother of the Relief Corps, having the honor to be the first organization ever formed | President W.R.C., Zanesville, O. The occasion under that name, and which is the nucleus of | was the marriage of Capt. Bagley's youngest the State Woman's Relief Corps. This Corps | daughter, Annette Pauline, to Mr. E. C. Baker, united with the Post in tendering to President of the Columbus Press-Post. The favorite Mason a fine reception in their elegant parlors, flowers were sweet peas, with which the parlors and every possible attention was shown her. and dining-room were profusely garlanded, She had previously visited Thatcher Post, of and of which the bride carried a pretty bunch Portland, whose auxiliary is also a State Corps, | with maiden ferns. The bridal chorus from and was very cordially received by both Post | Lohengren ushered in the bridal pair, and was and Corps.

President Mason has addressed the citizens | delesohn's joyous wedding march signaled the | Iowa. of several of our largest cities, and has every- | congratulations. The entire company sat down where created much enthusiasm in favor of the | to a wedding breakfast prepared in the elegant

by which John R. Adams Relief Corps was de- | 912 E. Rich street, Columbus. prived of one of its most valued members. Mrs. | Department President Calista R. Jones, Brad-

oil stove, and in a moment she was en- any Department, and speaks volumes for the veloped in flames. Her cries brought the work in Vermont. too late to save her life, and after lingering through the day she passed away at about 8 o'clock in the evening. The funeral was confined to her immediate family and John R. Adams Corps, of which deceased was Senior Vice-President. The floral tributes were many and beautiful, among them being a pillow from the Relief Corps and a beautiful wreath from John R. Adams Post. Mrs. Floyd was a very estimable woman, and her good works will be greatly missed in the whole community, over which a gloom is cast.

A LARGE AND BUSY CORPS.

B. H. Beale Corps, writes a correspondent, is taking a vacation. So many of the members are at their Summer residences during the months of July and August, that the attendance at Corps meetings is small, and it was decided best to rest from our labors for a few and this in addition to the educational exhibits, weeks, hoping all will be ready to take up the | which are of marked excellence. The Home good work again with renewed zeal and enthusiasm for the advancement of our muchbeloved Order.

This is a large and busy Corps, one of our best workers, and stands pledged to render all possible assistance toward the movement which is at the present time the all-engrossing thought | W.R.C. of our members, the Woman's Relief Corps

Our Department is doing a good work, having extended relief to the amount of \$332.11 during the first quarter of this year. Its Corps are nearly all interested workers, and have trict Convention program prepared by Nettie able candidates that have been named, among | many able women in their ranks. There is a the veteran workers of the Order, are Past De- good prospect for the formation of new Corps, which will be found very helpful as well as partment Presidents Martin, of Missouri, and | and it is earnestly hoped and expected that we shall be able to report a good growth at the end of the year. Very fraternally-Addie V. Grant, Department Secretary,

MAINE'S ECONOMIC RECORD. DEAR TRIBUNE: Referring to "Call a Halt" in a July number of THE NATIONAL TRIBUNE, allow me to say one word in honor of the Department of Maine, W.R.C. Maine has had six Presidents, every one of whom has made an honorable record, and they are above reproach. I am the seventh, and have my record to make. We began without funds, and struggled along as best we could, our hands tied, our work cramped, and our officers embarrassed by the rigid economy they were obliged to practice. We have never been in debt except once, through the Corps assuming an indebtedness, but that has been paid, and now have a small surplus. We have spent over \$5,000 in charity, helped G.A.R. Posts, built halls and furnished them, have helped erect monuments, have sent funds to decorate the graves in Southern Cemeteries, and are now trying to establish a Home mittee were the Past Presidents of Indianapolis | for the care of the G.A.R. wards. Much of this Corps, Department President Conklin and staff has been accomplished by the personal selfsacrifice of the Department officers.

Our "office" has been the President's parlor or library, made by turning the family out, to save rent; officers working from 15 to 18 hours given at the State House, came under the a day to save printing and clerk hire; riding all night in an ordinary day car, going without meals, or paying for them at their own exense: while carriage hire is an uuk nown quan

tity in our bill of expenses. We have been cutting our journal of proceedings down so closely that one not present would hardly know that anything had been done at Convention, and then having the smallest possible number printed, and not daring to send them out very generously, for fear of the postage bills. Consequently, even the G.A.R. is ignorant of the work of their auxiliary. At the end of each year the Department

President has come to Convention so worn out and tired she could not do herself justice, but only glad to say we had made a gain of Corps and membership, and that our accounts were square on the books.

We have applauded and said "well done," with never a thought of the sacrifice she had made to health, strength, and home comforts. partment President Emma R. Wallace is as- Corps do not know what their officers are doing, they never can know. No one can tell them the hours of anxious care and sleepless nights of theirs; but they do know how every dollar has been expended, or can know if they will The presentation of a fine banner from the | take the trouble to read the Treasurer's reports

printed in the journals. Maine pays the enormous sum of \$40 a year to the Secretary and Treasury, which is not a fair compensation for one quarter's work, and the President's expenses to the National Convention. They "get out of it" a year's loss of all home comfort, impaired health, the criticism of 2,000 members, some of whom do not know what they are talking about, because they never attend Corps meeting, and the abuse of any correspondent who happens to overhear some jealous woman's tirade. Our conrage is equal to it all, however, for the object for which we struggle is worth it, and the knowledge that 800 veterans and their families Jordan Mason and a wide-awake Corps of De- | are made comfortable; that the soldiers' widows and aged mothers' pathway down the journey of life is brighter, is all the perquisites we men who have carried the banner of Maine

> Ella Jordan Mason, Department President, Biddeford, Me.

ELOQUENT PLEA FOR ROTATION IN OFFICE. DEAR TRIBUNE: The many friends of Isabella T. Bagley, Past Department President of Ohio W.R.C., will this year present her name to the Eleventh National Convention as a candidate for the position of National Treasurer. We have had naught but praise for the faithful services of Armilla A. Chenev for the past five years, during which she has filled the offices of National Secretary and National Treasurer. But believing that rotation in office is the safeguard of every organization, front with a Woman's Relief Corps Home for our own loved Order being no exception, we disabled veterans and their wives, Army Nurses | are glad to be able to present in Mrs. Bagley a woman especially fitted for the office which we

seek to place in her keeping. We recognize her in Ohio as one of our reprea recommendation by Ella Jordan Mason, then | sentative women, an able executive officer, and Department Senior Vice-President, now our De- | a careful financier. She is known in National partment President, was unanimously approved | councils, as in Department, as a woman of deep by the Ninth Annual Convention held at Rock- penetration, keen yet quick discernment, land in February last. President Mason was clear yet charitable judgment, wise and chosen a committee to present the matter to De- | prudent in counsel, unswerving in integrity, partment Encampment, assembled in that city. | and untiring in her devotion to the Woman's

> To those who do not know her personally a perusal of past National journals will prove that we do not exaggerate, but simply state

Should Mrs. Bagley be placed in charge of the National Treasury of the Woman's Relief committee from the G.A.R., of which the De- | conscientiously performed, and the funds We bespeak not only an unbiased considera-

tion of our candidate, but also a serious conand money necessary for the establishment of sideration of the safety of rotation in office, Trusting that the deliberations of the Eleventh Posts and Corps accept this as a special National Convention may be harmonious, problable, and in the interests of Fraternity

Kate E. Putnam, Springfield, O.

A W.R.C. FOURTH-OF-JULY FLOAT. John Goodwin Corps, 23, of Marbiehead, participated in the parade on July 4. On a float draped in red, white and blue, with energy of the Department President, supported a white canopy, was seated the Goddess of Liberty, represented by Miss Lena Pierce; in front was the altar, beautifully to be in Brooklyn, N. Y.; by John Halloran, 1000 draped and banked with field flowers, behind which stood "Fraternity," "Chafity," and "Loyalty," by Misses Nichols, Peach, and Kuight. At one side of the altar was the Army, at the other the Navy. The Maltese Henry Kepper, Isaiah Endsley, Peter Primmer and cross, made of field daisies, was displayed from the float. On the altar was the open Bible. This feature of the parade received much praise, which was justly its due. It was a great credit

to the W.R.C. Sarah J. Williamson, Department Correspond-

ing Secretary, Wollaston, Mass. ALL ALONG THE LINE. There was a beautiful morning wedding wife, Mrs. Isabelle T. Bagley, Past Department softly played during the ceremony, and Menstyle for which Mrs. Bagiey is famous. Mr. A terrible accident occurred in Gorbam, Me., and Mrs. Baker are at home to their friends at

members of her family and neighbors to her | Past Department Secretary Mattie E. Ames assistance. The flames were extinguished as | corrects an error in the announcement that the quickly as possible and two physicians called, retiring Department President, Lizzie R. Herwho carefully dressed her wounds, but it was rickewould serve this year as Counselor for the Department of Washington and Alaska. Her place of trust this year is Department Secretary, with Lizzie Carnes as Department Counselor.

Past National President Emma Stark Hampton has been suffering from a tedious attack of malarial fever, but hopes to be present at National Convention, ready for duty, we trust.

The Board of Trustees of the Ohio Soldiers and Sailors' Home, Xenia, have sent an interesting exhibit from the educational and industrial departments of the Home in charge of Mrs. Cora Day Young, Matron-in-Chief, and Past National Senior Vice-President, Woman's Relief Corps. It is highly proper that the work of the soldiers' orphans should have a place at the World's Fair, embracing, as it does, printing, tinning, shoemaking, tailoring, dressmaking, laundrying, scientific cooking, and so on, Weekly, entirely the work of Home printers, is one of the prettiest little newspapers of the

Past National Treasurer Lizabeth A. Turner has been visiting the World's Fair, and was tendered a pleasant reception by the Chicago

National Inspector Flo Jamison Miller is in Chicago in the discharge of duties connected with her office.

Department President Julia S. Conklin, of Indiana, is sending out a printed form of Dis-Ransford, Department Senior Vice-President, securing uniformity in the conduct of Conventions.

INDIANA'S PRESIDENT.

The Presiding Genius of the Department Entertaining 11th National Convention.

Now that we are all going to 11th National Convention, it will be pleasant to become familiar with the charming features of her who presides at the helm and guides the quill of the Department of Indiana W.R.C.



JULIA S. CONKLIN.

Julia S. Conklin, Department President Indiana Woman's Relief Corps, is a native of the Hoosier State.

She is of Quaker descent, her grandparents on both sides being firm adherents of the teachings of William Penn. Her grandfather, Ephraim Stoule, true to the principles taught by the Society of Friends, was a strong Abolitionist, and was closely connected with the 'underground railway" system established and escape of fugitive slaves.

Department President Conklin has inherited in a marked degree the principles of integrity that characterized her Quaker ancestors.

She was married to W. H. Conklin, of the passed because of some thoughtless word or act | 2d Colo, Cav., Gen. Canby commanding. Comrade Conklin enlisted in Colorado and served three years in the Army of the Southwest. He was wounded at the battle of Little Blue, Mo., three days after the expiration of the time for which he enlisted, and lay four months in the hospital at Kansas City. Department President Conklin is a charter member of Fairfax Relief Corps, Westfield, Ind., and has served her Corps in the capacity of Treasurer, Secretary, Conductor, and President. She was elected delegate to National Convention, and has filled the offices of Department Treasurer and Department Inspector.

She was elected Department President by the 10th annual Convention, held at Evansville, by | Dudley with Col. W. R. Holloway. a large majority vote. She is an earnest worker in the Woman's Relief Corps, and an ardent care for. This for the honor of the noble wo- | friend to the soldier, and thoroughly patriotic. An efficient officer, the affairs of the Department are prospering under her guiding hand.

> THE QUESTION SQUAD. Veterans Anxious to Find Their Comrades-Who

> > Can Aid Them!

Information or the addresses of the followingnamed persons are greatly desired for various

Illinois.-Of James W. Reynolds, Co. F. 10th Ill: last heard of at Marshalltown (lowa) Soldiers' Home; by Edwin P. Walker, 4123 Lake avenue. Chicago, Ill .-- Of John D. Marquis, Co. I, 45th Ili. last heard from in Mercer County, Ill.; by Amos Marquis, Beham, Ps. -- Of William Gile, believed to have served in the 18th Ill.; last heard of at Duquoin, Ill.; by G. W. Chidester, Marionville, Mo .-Of the Regimental Secretaries of the 29th Ind., 34th and 79th Ill., and the 77th Pa.; by N. N. Boydston, Warsaw, Ind.

lows.-Of Comrade Baker, or any member of the 3d Iowa Cav, who served in Co. K between 1861 and 1865; by Peter M. Jumper, Russell Springs,

INDIANA .- Of Thomas Caldwell, Co. B. 44th Ind. by Michael Casey, Garret, Ind .- Of those who knew Wesley T. Amos, Co. B, 23d Ind., who died in hospital at La Grange, Tenn., in March, 1863; by Susan B. Rucker, Munfordville, Ky. MISCELLANEOUS,-Of any old soldiers who were confined in Andersonville Prison from June to and Eighth streets. eptember, 1864, in the first thousand, second hundred, camped near the division of the old and new stockade; by Byron L. Streeter, Co. G, 36th Ill.,

Aurora, Iil. Missouri.-Of G. W. Priar, or Prior, believed to have served in 11th Mo.; last heard from at St. Charles, Mo., in 1868; by Frank Prior, Camden Point, Mo.—Of Regimental Surgeon of the 41st Mo.: by George Schmoll, Sturgeon, Mo. NAVY .- Of Acting Ensign Edward B. Pratt, of S. Susquehannah in 1863; last heard of on the U. S. S. Courier in 1864, in West Gulf Blockading Squadron; appointed from Massachusetts;

by George W. Baker, West Harwick, Mass .- Of Donovan, and Mr. Connolly, all of the U. S. Marine Corns: by William S street, Philadelphia, Pa.-Of those who knew, James Ritchie, who enlisted as a marine or sailor from Allegheny City, Pa., in 1861; by Jeremiah Connors, 46 South Twenty-sixth street, Pittsburg, Pa .- Of any who knew Alexander H. Lockman by D. A. Lockman, 871 Col. avenue, New York, N. Y .-- Of officers or crew of U. S. gunboat Dawn in 1861, especially Peter McGraw; last heard from in Norfolk, Va., about 14 years ago; Charles Pierce, Boatswain's Mate, believed to be in Boston, Mass. or Brooklyn, N. Y., and George Hilary, believed Fourth street northeast, Washington, D. C. New Jersey.—Of Co. E, 3d N. J. Cav.; by B. P. Mallon, Cobleskill, N. Y.

OHIO.-Of William H. Gaskill, Sergeant, Co. K. Samuel Hamlet, all of Co. B, 20th Ohio; by Geo. Snider, Bowerston, O .- Of Blair Evans, of Co. G. 41st Ohio; last heard of when mustered out in November, 1865; by J. H. Warner, Fowler's Mills, O.— Of those who knew James Funk, 66th Ohio; by Mrs. Funk, Kewanna, Ind .- Of Josh Brammer, enlisted in a Ohio regiment that went from Athens County, or any who knew him; by Robert H. Brammer, Hillsboro, Ky.—Of those who knew John Hass, Co. D, 51st Ohio; by J. J. Hass, Upper Sandusky, O .- Of Samuel Fulton, Second Lieutenant, Co. H. 124th Ohio; also address James Daily, of Co. G, 26th Ohio; by Joseph Bartlett, Pardee, O.

PENNSYLVANIA, -Of Patrick Ragen, Co. E, 6th Pa. Cav.; by Col. Joe Miller, Roxbury, Pa.—Of A. F. Keys, 21st Pa. Cav.; by Daniel W. Howe, Jacksonville, Ill.—Of the company and regiment in which John Kregal served; enlisted in a Penns sylvania regiment in Philadelphia, and served in the U. S. Army prior to the war; by Joseph G. Marshall, Madison, Ind.
REGULARS.—Of Martin O. Rossmolier, Co. E,

2d U. S. Cav., in 1862; by John P. Lewis, 997 Main street, Dubuque, Iowa. --- Of members of the 46th U. S. (colored) Inf.; by D. G. Burleson, Clarinda, Wisconsin.-Of Richard Oberg, Co. B, 4th Wis.; by Sophia Oberg, Saratoga, Wyo.

If any young, old, or middle-aged man suffering from nervous debility, weakness, will inclose stamp to me I will send him the prescripkitchen, when her dress caught fire from an | membership. These are signs of promise in | Barnes, News Dealer, Marshall, Mich.

ME JANOITAN ENCAMPMENT.

Notes of the Twenty-seventh Annual Grand Reunion.

THE FORCED-MARCH SCHEME. From Medical Director Elder, in response to the letter addressed to him by Chairman Lilly concerning the "forced march," the following

Board, 27th National Encampment, G.A.R., DEAR SIR AND COMRADE: Yours of the 7th inst. relative to the furnishing of gratuitous medical or surgical attention to any cases resulting from par-ticipation in the proposed "forced march" during Encampment week received. I am glad to receive the official indorsement of the policy already determined on by the medical department. The matter had been considered, and we had determined that, with your approbation,

we would withhold all gratuitous medical assist-

once from any one who should attempt to pervert

the noble purposes of the meeting into a mere con-

test of physical superiority. In accordance with

Col. Ett Litty, Chairman Citizens' Executive

your order such service will be denied any old soldier who so far forgets the honor and dignity of his position as a veteran of the war of the Union as to descend to the low level of an exhibition of brute power and endurance. Such a contest would not only be attended with danger to the lives and health of those engaging therein, but would prostitute the purposes of the Encampment to the level of the prize-fighters' ring and he a disgrace to all who participated. I have the honor to be, very truly, yours, in F.,

Medical Director. THE BALDHEADED CLUB. There will be nothing more enjoyable at the Campfires of the National Encampment than the singing of the "Baldheaded" Club. This club is always in demand where it is the wish to make the heart light and auditors forget their cares. It has aroused thousands of happy listeners to uproarious applause, and sent them home to dream of lively jingles, pathetic stanzas, comic verse, and enthusiastic patriotic

E. S. ELDER,

sentiment. The club has indelibly an Indianapolis stamp, for all of its singers are of this city, and in old soldier gatherings, when the orator has had his sway, the story-teller his time, and the musician his part, these ever-popular singers have stepped to the front with excellent tenor, baritone and bass to at once capture their audience. They have been heard at political conventions, too, and their presence at meetings where liveliness would be supposed out of place, has not been wanting. They have given relish to the viands of banquets and saved evenings from the oppression of after-dinner speeches.

The "Baldheaded" Club began its career modestly, with no purpose beyond its own and looking for nothing except the gratifica- to be animated by a greater degree of partition of pleasing themselves and their bearers. These singers will be heard frequently during | their interests. the Encampment, for all of them are soldiers, nd wherever soldiers gather they like to be. They keep their comradeship green, and whenever they sing with all the ardor and delight they can express, it is at Campfires.

The leader of the club is J. Burgess Brown, and its other members are Edward P. Thompson, W. S. Tarkington, Dr. S. R. Woodward, O. R. Weaver, George Macy, David Wallace, John Slosson, Harry C. Adams. Of these there are in the Postoffice Mr. Thompson, the Postmaster; Mr. Wallace, the Assistant Postmaster, and Dr. Woodward, who has charge of the Money Order Division, and Mr. Weaver is a grain broker, Mr. Tarkington with Daniel Stewart & Co., Mr. Butler of the Western Union Telegraph Service, prior to the war of the rebellion for the safety | Mr. Macy an accountant, Mr. Slosson a merchant, and Harry C. Adams a contractor. NOTES.

Fremont Camp, Sons of Veterans, which for two terms, under Robert Zinn as commander, charge of the Camp's affairs again. He has | Woodfin himself puts it, "any examination consented, and the Camp is being well represented in Encampment doings. Green Braddus Post, of Winston, Ky., has a

Camp on the corner of Tennessee and Vermont Mrs. Wulschner, Chairman of the Ladies' Executive Committee, requests the Chairman of the other Ladies' Committee to report from | to be deceived in so important a matter, time to time at Headquarters, 42 and 44 North | but very many will refuse to go before this | be met by a like sum by the organization. The Pennsylvania street. Either she or the Secre- Board if it be commissioned. tary will be found there from 10 a. m. to 12:30

p. m. and from 4 to 6 p. m. Senator Manderson, Gens. Stanley and Thos. A. Woods will be guests of Gen. Knefler during the Encampment. Gen. A. McD. Mc-Cook will be with R. B. F. Pierce, and Col. Wm.

Maj. Ross, of the Committee on Escort, whose duty is to meet incoming Posts to escort them to places assigned for their accommodations, has his Headquarters at the Union Station, in the room to the right of the north entrance. For the members of the committee in waiting at the station for assignment to duty room on the second floor formerly occupied by the Big Four Company will be used. Mrs. V. C. Taylor, of Saugerties-on-Hudson, has requested that the song of "The Veterans," sung on Memorial Day in New York City in 1890, be given a place on some of the Encamp-

ment week programs. The song was written by William W. Badger, Past Commander of W. S. Hancock Post, New York City, and dedicated to Col. Floyd Garrison, then Department Commander of New York. The Brockton (Mass.) Camp of Sons of Veterans is at the Encampment. It will has made its Headquarters at the Emerson Shoe Store on East Washington street. Capt. A. B. Grover,

of that firm, a resident of Brockton, accompanies the Camp. He served throughout the war in a Massachusetts regiment. National Commander Tucker, of the Union Veteran Legion, invites the members of that organization visiting the Encampment to call

at the quarters of the Legion, No. 34 North Delaware street. George A. Custer and J. Patter Posts, the first of Galion, Mich., and the second of Aurora, are in camp at the corner of Meridian

George F. Wright, of 779 Columbia avenue, Baltimore, has been inquiring for years as to the whereabouts of O. McLain, who enlisted here, but in what regiment Mr. Wright does not know. He thinks McLain may come to the Encampment, and hopes to hear from him if

The Light Artillery and German Veterans had their cannon out on Monday and Tues- 10th U. S. Cav., Dec. 1, 1866; Colonel of the 2d ham, E. P. Briggs, James D. Dunn, C. W. Ten- wich. Capts. Brown, Cormack, and Hazley, day of Encampment week, Chairman Lilly C. Margerum, R. B. Scanlon, Thomas Welch, John | having assigned to them the firing of salutes | 1881.—EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE.] on those days. The German Veterans' 10-pound Parrott gun, with Capt. Louis Kern in charge was placed at the west end of the Union Station, where each train on Monday from the West was saluted. The trains from the East were honored in like manner by the Light Artillery, with Lieut. E. A. Thompson in charge, the gun being at the east end of the station. From the open ground adjacent to its armory, at the corner of Seventh and Tennessee streets, the Light Artillery fired on Tuesday morning the National salute as the column of the parade moved from the corner of Seventh and Meridian streets. After that salute there was | the mint, and receive for it 100 gold or silver firing from three guns at intervals of five minutes as the column was passing over the line armory, another at the Camp of Sons of Veterans, in Blind Asylum Park, and the third at Haymarket Square, corner of Market and Alabama streets. The last-mentioned gun was that of the German Veterans in charge of Capt. Kern, and the other two of the Light Artillery in charge of Lieut. Thompson.

> HEADQUARTERS AND REUNIONS. Organization Meetings at the City of In-

dianapolis. White Star Division, of the Twelfth and Twentieth Corps-Headquarters at 82 South Paver, of the old 5th Ohio, has charge, and will

coming to the Encampment. National Association of Ex-Prisoners of War which survived most severe tests. It is the Railway, Chicago.

purpose of the local associations to hold an informal Reunion at which every Union exprisoner of war will be welcome, whether a member of any organization or not. The event will afford a rare opportunity for many to meet who parted company in 1865, and have not met since. The war prisoner's memory is losing strength with each departing day, and there are many experiences which ought to be remembered for his own and his comrade's sake. Personal contact, while bitter experiences may be recalled, will be a source of pleasure to every ex-prisoner who is fortunate enough to be

10th N. Y. Cav. - Headquarters 4 Massachusetts avenue. All members of the association who attend the Encampment are requested to 24th N. Y .- Reunion from Seto 10:30 a. m. Sept. 5, in the court-room in Postoffice Build-

present .- J. O. HARDING, 83 North Tennessee

A PROTEST

Concerning the New Examining Board for

the Hampton Home. EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE: Some time since a new Board of Medical Examiners was appointed by the Pension Commissioner for this Home. Col. Woodfin, Governor of the Home, sent a letter to Judge Lochren suggesting that on account of the feeling among the men in the Home it would be

best that one member of the new Board

should be in sympathy with the cause for

which the Union soldier fought, etc. This fact becoming known, Col. Woodfin was assailed from Richmond, Norfolk and other quarters, as opposing the commissioning of the new Board on the ground of being Democrats and Southerners. In an interview published in the Richmond Times of July 29, Col. Woodfin disclaimed any such feeling, and pointed to his "many years of pleasant relationship with the people of Virginia" in proof of his assertions

of friendliness. Gov. Woodfin is right about the feeling in the Home. We think we understand his be very beautiful, suitable for framing, and in position. He seems to think that in simply writing a letter to Judge Lochren of the state of the case he is acquitted of any further responsibility. Gov. Woodfin is invested by act of Congress with the charge of the interests of the men in the Home, and while we will not say that "his pleasant relations with the people of Virginia," and his disclaimer of ill feeling toward any member of the new Board on account of politics or place of birth, have had any influence in determining his decision not to press the question further than to express a wish that in the interest of fairness, harmony and good feeling there ought to be, at best, a man of pronounced friendliness to amusement; but through its popularity it has | the Union veteran on the Board, yet there become fixed, giving its services without cost | are many veterans who think that he ought | Chicago: The time and place of holding the sanship in a matter that so vitally affects | changed from Sept. 5 and 6 to Sept. 8 and 9,

Gov. Woodfin frankly admits that he thinks the feeling of hostility toward the new Examining Board, which is entertained by so many of the veterans, is perfectly reasonable and natural, and his action in suggesting to the Pension Bureau that one member at least should be in sympathy with the cause for which the veterans fought is evidence of the Governor's purpose to perform his sworn duty, in accordance with his own convictions of the scope and extent of his obligations.

Without arrogating to ourselves any superior wisdom, we of the Home believe that our standpoint affords the more exact and truthful view of the situation. We do not claim to stand on "Pisgah's top," but we can easily "view the landscape o'er," and the conclusion we have reached is one of prospered greatly, and after his retirement | hostility to the new Board as such. Personrom office, on his refusal of re-election, lost ally, these men are doubtless both able and much of its influence, has asked him to take of incorruptible integrity; but, as Gov. they may make will be looked upon with suspicion, for the very reason that they are all Southern men." The veterans here go that "men do not gather grapes from thorns or figs from thistles." We not only refuse

Admitting that their every action will be dictated by what they conceive to be a high sense of honor, the fact yet remains thatunless they are avowedly in sympathy with the cause for which the Union soldier fought, unless they are able to afford proof of their ability to rise above the prejudices, the effects of association, and the sentiments a substantial supper at the Campfire. The that still permeate all Southern communi- keys to the City, the City Treasury, City Lockties-their appointment will be greatly dis- up, and Liquor Agency was presented to the trusted by the Union soldier, who believes that the verdict of history must record the absolute justice and righteousness of the

Union cause. We believe, further, that it is a very grave error, and an act of positive injustice, upon the part of the National authorities, not to afford us representation upon this Board, and that it will be so considered by the Union men of the North, irrespective of their party affiliations.

Gen. John W. Davidson.

EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE: Will you please tell me through your paper what has become of Gen. J. W. Davidson, of the Regular Army. He took command of the cavalry forces at Iron Mountains, Mo., in June, 1863, and on July 1, 1863, we started for Little Black, Ark. We went down the Mississippi Valley until we got opposite Helena, Ark., and there waited until Gen. Steel joined us with his command of infantry. Then we went for the city of Little Rock, and captured it Sept. 10, 1863. Gen. Davidson was not liked by his soldiers when he first took command of them, but he arose so much in their estimation by the time | held, resulting in the election of Charles W. that we arrived at Little Rock that our regiment made up a purse, \$1,200, got a fine sword, and presented it to him in May, 1864, at St. Louis, Mo., while we were on our way home on return furlough. Please give a history of Gen. Davidson and what has become of him .-

G. M. MARK, De Soto, Iowa. [Gen. John Wynn Davidson was mustered out of the volunteer service Jan. 15, 1866, and resumed his position in the Regular Army. He drews, James Breen, C. A. Wentworth, Levi was promoted to Lieutenant-Colonel of the U. S. Cav., March 20, 1879, and died June 26, ney, and William M. Peabody.

Some Financial Questions.

lieve the present financial distress?—Mrs. P. F.

GAMMELL, Lowell, Mass. [1. Under a system of free coinage a man | Mt. Auburn. The officers chosen for the year | place next year at Binghamton. Col. W. G. takes his bullion to the mint and receives its value in coin, which he puts into circulation himself. This is now the case with gold, and formerly was so with both gold and silver. A man would take, say, \$100 worth of bullion to dollars. The Government can only put money in circulation by paying it out for salaries, or of march. One gun was at the artillery for something it buys. During the war it put rade Jonas Capelle, of Watertown, and Presiabout \$700,000,000 of paper money in circulation by paying it out to the soldiers and for military supplies. It could to-day put \$63,000,-000 in silver in circulation by allowing 250,000 pension cases now on file in the Bureau, and nearly ready for issue, and paying out the money on them. 2. We think that about \$150,000,000 of additional currency is needed at once .-EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE.]

An exceptionally favorable opportunity for visiting the richest and most productive sections of the West and Northwest will be af-Pennsylvania street, Indianapolis, Ind. Re- forded by the series of low-rate harvest excurunion Wednesday morning, Sept. 6. J. M. | sions which have been arranged by the Northwestern Line. Tickets for these excursions be glad to hear from all comrades who intend | will be sold on Aug. 22, Sept. 12, and Oct. 10, 1893, to points in Northwestern Iowa, Western Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Man--One interesting feature of the Encampment | itoba, Nebraska, Colorado, Wyoming and Utah, will be the 21st annual Convention of the Na- and will be good for return passage within 20 tional Association of Union Ex-Prisoners of days from date of sale. Stop-over privileges War, which will be held in the Postoffice Build- | will be allowed on the going trip in territory to ing, United States Court-room, on Wednesday, | which the tickets are sold. For further inform-Sept. 6. Rooms have been provided for the re- ation, call on or address Ticket Agents of conception of delegates and comrades, where all necting lines. Circulars giving rates and may register and thus be aided to find long- detailed information will be mailed, free, upon Myra M. Floyd was attending to her house-held duties in an open room leading from the ports for the second quarter, with an increased No humbug. No deception. Address T. C. tivity when loyal friendships were established and Ticket Agent, Chicago & Northwestern

Cheap Excursions to the West.

REUNIONS.

Annual Meetings and Other Matters Pertaining to Various Organizations.

CONNECTICUT.

The Reunion this year of the 18th Conn., at regiment had held for a number of years, 150 | ing his two years' term in office. survivors being present, the families and friends swelling the attendance to about 500. The officers elected are: Pres., Timothy Parker; V.-P.'s, George Greenman, Thomas Grow, Kan., and held a six days' Reunion. The at-James McGee, William H. Boyton, A. G. Scran- | tendance continued at about from 3,000 to 4,000 ton; Sec., W. H. H. Ellis; Treas., Henry Durfey. Speeches were made by Col. Peale, Surg. Holbrook, Capt. J. E. Woodward, H. M. Durfey, Robert Kerr, A. C. Greene, and Thomas Grow. The Reunion of the 28th Conn., held at Sea-Over 50 survivors were in attendance. The wood, Merritt Hunt, D. Jones, Frank Marsh, make the occasion a pleasant one to all. The Horace G. Burr, Nicholas Fox; Treas., G. E. Scofield; Sec., Robert Bunten, Bridgeport.

The 17th Conn. held its 31st Reunion at Newton, with quite a large attendance. The officers elected were: Pres., Seeley Blakesley; V .- P.'s, Isaac Hyatt, Alfred Moorehouse, Henry Quien, A. W. Peck, George Hale, William R. Keyeser, Lieut, Charles D. Smith, I. N. Crissey, to Union soldiers who, because of no fault of John Purdy, Timothy Spencer; Sec., John Porter, Bridgeport; Treas., Patrick Wade, jr.

ILLINOIS. T. B. Perkins, Secretary, Elgin: The committee of the 52d Ill. appointed to prepare a certificate of membership in the association have had a beautiful sketch made, showing the design of the certificate, and find that, handsomely gotten up and finished, they will cost from 50 cents to \$1.25 each, depending upon the number taken. Three hundred of them will cost but little more than 100, as the chief expense is in preparing the plates. They will

T. C. S. Brown, Secretary, 304 Washington street, Joliet: Reunion Battery I, 2d Ill. L. A., Assembly Room, Illinois Building, World's Fair Grounds, Sept. 20 and 21, anniversary day of the battle of Chickamauga. Headquarters at Veterans' Hall, southwest corner of Michigan avenue and Thirteenth street, from where the comrades will proceed to the Fair Grounds. J. H. Record, Secretary, Decatur: Reunion

every way worthy of careful preservation.

54th Ill., Newton, Sept. 27 to 29. A. Lammey, Secretary, 981 Madison street, Chicago: Reunion 88th Ill., Illinois Building, World's Fair, Chicago, Sept. 13 and 14. The first day the meeting will be held at 75 and 77 Randolph street. William Burchfield, Secretary, Neoga: Re-

union 97th Ill., Gillespie, Oct. 5 and 6. F. J. Filbert, room 65, 175 Dearborn street, ninth Reunion of the 113th Ill. has been and from Englewood, Ill., to Camp Lincoln. Camp Lincoln is located on the shore of Lake Michigan within 600 feet of the southeast entrance to the World's Fair Grounds.

INDIANA. D. K. Marsh, Secretary: Reunion 37th and 83d Ind., Osgood, Sept. 12 and 13. Isaac Massey, Secretary, Worthington: Reunion 57th Ind., Coal City, Oct. 10 and 11.

John Wessels, Secretary, Quincy, Ill.: Reunion 3d Mo. Cav., Sixth and Hampshire streets, Quincy, Ill., Oct. 4 and 5.

Orono was the place where the 1st Me. H. A. held its Reunion. The town had on a holiday appearance, and the veterans were well received. The report of the Treasurer showed Mr. Hutching, of Huntington, and F. C. Bathat the association had a balance of \$159 on | ker. hand. The officers are: Pres., A. L. White, Orono; V.-P.'s, Chas. Hamlin, Bangor, and C. J. House, Augusta; Treas., Henry E. Sellers, Bangor; Sec., Isaac J. Dunham, Winterport. Directors, H. H. Shaw, Portland; Rufus P. Peaks, Bangor; V. D. Sweetland, Palmyra; A. C. Sawyer, Bangor, and T. G. Libbey, Vinal Haven. A committee was appointed to publish an authentic history of the regiment. At the session of the Maine Legislature last Winter a step further than their Governor, and say | the sum of \$600 was appropriated for the purpose of erecting a monument at Petersburg, Va., in honor of the 1st Me., that did such valiant service there; provided, however, that the \$600 members shortly will raise the necessary money and erect a handsome monument on the battle-

The 22d Reunion of the 11th Me. was held in Rockland. There were 50 members present, and letters were read from 45 more. The members of Edwin Libby Post and Corps vied with each other in making this one of the pleasantest Rennions of the old regiment, and served Association by Col, Carver, of the old 4th Me., and was one of the features of the occasion. The speech of welcome was made by Mayor Knight, a son of a veteran. The following officers were elected: Pres., Serg't Jas. A. Brackett; V.-P.'s, Thomas Sewall Pettingale, Capt. S. C. Newcomb; Sec. and Treas., Serg't Thomas T. Tabor, Bangor; Chap., James V. Tabor, M. D.; Musical Director, Brooks D. Stewart. The next Reunion to be held at Bangor, in the month of

August, 1894. The 19th Me, held a very successful and enloyable Reunion at Waterville, about 150 members being present. It was the 20th annual meeting, and the new officers are as follows: Pres., E. G. Mitchell; V.-P.'s, J. W. Winter, C. W. Larrabee; Sec., Silas Adams, Waterville; Chap., T. P. Furber; Orator, Maj. E. Rowell; Historian, A. E. Nickerson. In the evening a banquet was served at Thayer's Hall, which was followed by an oration by A. L. Wells, of

Nahant was the scene of the eighth Reunion of the 3d Mass H. A., and 40 survivors, many officers were elected: Pres., P. H. Freeborn; accompanied by their wives, took occasion to be present. At noon a business meeting was First V.-P., S. T. Jackson; Sec., F. W. Chapin, Oneida. Mej. Joseph P. Cleary, of Rochester, Commander of the State Department of the Mitchell as President. After dinner was served dancing in the pavilion became the chief attraction. The Reunion was very successful. The 50th Mass, and 4th Mass, battery was

held at Gloucester with nearly 60 survivors present. The officers elected are: Pres., Jeremiah Murphy; V.-P.'s, J. H. Briggs, Oliver W. Alton; Sec. and Treas., George H. Blann, dent; Whitney Stratton, Seneca Kelley, Leon-Salem; Executive Committee, Gilman A. An- ard Lindsey, J. B. Alcott, and M. Evans, Vice-Swain, Cooper, John Downs, Warren P. Pink- Secretaries. The next meeting will be at Nor-

have occurred. Mr. Everett P. Bond, Mr. was opened, and, despite the bad weather, the EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE: How after the John B. Jacobs, and Mr. Edward Murray boys succeeded in having a good time. United States has coined money does it put it | were elected honorary members of the assointo circulation? How would circulation re- ciation. A liberal donation was made to the ex- Oswego. Ex-Secretary Benjamin F. Tracy and isting fund to meet the expense of caring for | Gen. Isaac S. Catiin, both Colonels of the regithe monument and the lot of Col. Wyman at | ment, were present. The Reunion will take are: Pres., C. C. Clark; V.-P., Walter Winnard; Sec. and Treas., H. C. Hall; Executive Committee, James Nichols, Ira Hoffman, Warren Gould, Edward Leonard, J. F. Mansfield, Capt. Nathan Norris, R. S. Byam, James Burrows, William Leonard, Asa D. Smith. After-dinner addresses were made by several members of the association, including Comrade Byam, Comdent Flynn, of Lowell.

Will L. Welch, Salem: Reunion 23d Mass., Salem, Sept. 28. MICHIGAN.

W. L. Maples, Secretary, Hillsdale: Reunion 2d Mich., Hillsdale, Sept., 28. The 11th Mich. met at Leonidas Aug. 24. Nearly 100 soldiers and their wives registered, and had chicken pie from the loyal citizens till they all crowed. At the grove meeting the band played, and A. E. Dickinson, of Leonidas, President of the Association, was in command. D. M. Eveland welcomed the crowd. N. G. Cooper, of Sturgis, responded for the 11th. giving hearty thanks to the citizens for loyalty during the war as well as now. J. W. King, of Three Rivers, gave an interesting address; Lieut. Myron Benedict and others gave short speeches. The next Reunion will be at Sturgis, Aug. 24. N. J. Packard, of Sturgis, formerly Assistant Surgeon of the regiment, was elected President, and James Todd, Burr Oak, Secretary and Treasurer, as usual.

MISCELLANEOUS. W. R. French: Lamar McConnell Post, 91, will give a grand Campfice, Sept. 16, at Maryville, Tenn. An excellent program is promised

and all old soldiers are invited. The Soldiers and Sailors' Association of Dan J. Newman, Secretary, Scranion: Re-Ottawa County, O., held a grand Reunion | union 132d Pa., Catawissa, Sept. 19.

at Oak Harbor. H. H. Sloan was elected President; Gustavus Jaeger, D. L. Mizner, W. D. Smith, Jackson Quisno, A. G. Runner, Calvin Brown, Conrad Geiger, Myron E. Clemons, A. D. Elwell, H. N. Aldrich, W. S. Flaught, Porter Yates, Vice-Presidents, and W. S. Miller, Secretary and Treasurer. The retiring President, Charles C. Starr, of Port Clinton, in his address made a number of recommendations, and touching the pension question stated that the minimum pension allowed by the Government should be \$8. At the close of the meeting three rousing cheers were given him for the Quinebaug Lake, Killingly, was the largest the untiring interest taken in the association dur-

The Chikaskia Veteran Association, of Kansas, marshaled their forces on the banks of the Chikaskia River in western Sumner County, people for five days. This is perhaps the largest district association of veterans in the State. Speeches were delivered by many prominent survivors of the war. Much enthusiasm was manifested, and a general good time side Park, near Bridgeport, was a great success. | was had. Under the directions of Comrade John Guant, and his assistants as the Execunew officers are: Pres., L. L. Scoffeld; V.-P.'s, | tive Committee, the camp grounds, tents, police W. S. Taylor, Charles H. Conley, J. S. Sher- | force and everything that could be was done to opening address was made by Chaplain L. W. The following is a copy of the resolutions on

the subject of pensions adopted by the Sherman Brigado at its 24th annual Reunion held at Ashland, O .: "Whereas the pension act of June 27, 1890, was intended to furnish relief their own, had become unable to support themselves and their families by manual labor, and under said act large numbers of such soldiers have been placed on the pension list on furnishing satisfactory evidence to the Pension Department; and, Whereas recently great numbers of such soldiers had their pensions suspended, without notice until after such suspensions, and they then required to furnish addltional evidence under rules almost impossible to be complied with, or have their names dropped from the rolls: Resolved, That, in the judgment of this organization, such construction of said act is unauthorized, and not within its spirit or meaning; that the Acting Commissioner has no legal power under said act to reinvestigate the action of his predecessor and to determine whether such pensions were originally granted on sufficient evidence, but that the only right he has under said act is to determine under present evidence whether said pensioner has the ability to support himself by manual labor, and to suspend his pension if not found entitled to be continued on the pension-roll. Resolved, That we protest against the rulings of the Acting Commissioner, and call on the Congress of the United States to investigate the subject, and, if necessary, to provide against this injustice that is being done the Union soldiers by such legislation as will secure the administration of said act according to its letter and spirit. Resolved. That copies of these resolutions be forwarded the members of Congress from this district, and to our Senators from this State."

The Central New York Association of Veterans held their annual Reunion at Sylvan Beach, with 400 in attendance. The new officers are: Pres., Maj. Michael Auer; First V.-P., F. Z. Jones; Second V.-P., M. B. Hope; Sec., Wm. S. Leete, Oneida; Treas, Wilbur F. Leete. Executive Committee, John Kohler, M. C. Dixon, Albert Allen, C. W. Lampher, A. M. Barrett, G. H. Perkins, E. D. Van Syke, Orson Caville, F. B. Garrett, George T. Earle, H. B. Fitch, Perry Miller, G. B. Hill, W. S. Faulkner, R. W. El-

M. A. Ross Post, Portland, Ore., assisted by the S. of V. and W.R.C., held a very enjoyable Reunion recently at Pleasant Home. There were about 2,000 present, and all managed to eat heartily of the dinner prepared by the W.R.C. Col. E. Hofer, of the Oregon Division, S. of V., made the speech of the day on the pension question. Impromptu addresses were made by Gen. O. S. Murray, of Mount Tabor;

Reunion Kearny's (First) New Jersey Brigade, Trenton, Sept. 14.

The 14th N. Y. H. A. held its 11th Reunion at Utica, in the rooms of Reynolds Post. The officers chosen are: Pres., Charles A. Shaw; First V.-P., David Jones; Second V.-P., J. W. Kimball; Third V.-P., George D. Bristol; Sec., Wm. Clowminzer, Brooklyn; Treas., Joseph Hepworth; Chap., William R. Helms; Surg., Chauncey Webster; Color-Bearer, William D. Seamans. The next Reunion will be held at Theresa Park, St. Lawrence County. Addresses were made by Maj. Joseph P. Cleary, State Commander of the G.A.R., and Capt. Helms, Chaplain of the Department, in which they spoke glowingly of the condition of the G.A.R. in the State, and of the delight it gave them to be present with their old comrades of the the 14th. Both the speakers deplored the attitude of the present Administration in depriving veterans of their just pensions. They did not uphold a fraudulent request for a pension,

invited comrades, to the number of about 75, sat down to an elaborate banquet in the dininghall of Owens's cafe. C. W. Wiles, Secretary, Cortland: Reunion 10th N. Y. Cav. at the Vanderbilt House, Syra-

but they thought the wholesale "reform" in

this respect unjust. In the evening the mem-

bers of the regiment, with their wives and

cuse, Oct. 17, 18, and 19. A. H. Spierre, Albany: Reunion 16th N. Y. H. A., Dolgeville, Sept. 13 and 14. The eighth Reunion of the Griswold Light Cavalry (21st N. Y.) was held at Ithaca. The visiting comrades were given a ride to Cornell University, and Sydney Post, 41, gave them an elegant Campfire. They were also given a 40mile ride on Cayuga Lake. The election of officers resulted as follows: Pres., Crombie Bolton; Sec., James Clark, Troy; Treas., Charles P. Cramer. Lansingburg, N. Y., was chosen as the place of holding our next Reunion, and the third Wednesday and Thursday of August, 1894, as the time. The Reunion was a grand success: over 400 of the comrades and families were at the banquet. It was a jolly affair. Co. H. 35th N. Y., had an attendance of 13 at their Reunion at Algonquin. The following

G.A.R., was announced to address the veterans, but owing to some unknown reason was unable to be present. The old 89th N. Y. held its Reunion at Greene, with 61 members present. Lieut. Geo. H. Baldwin, of Norwich, was elected Presi-Presidents; J. C. Northrup and Frank S. Smith, the original Captains of the regiment, were ap-The 16th Mass, held its Reunion at Nantasket | pointed a committee to prepare a memorial on Beach. During the past year three deaths | the death of Gen. Jardine. A grand Campfire

The Reunion of the 109th N. Y. was held at Dunn, Postmaster at Binghamton, was elected President for the ensuing year. The 16th Reunion of the 152d N. Y. was held at

Frankfort, N. Y., in G.A.R. Hall. There were

in attendance 51 members. The regular busi-

ness was transacted and officers elected for the

ensuing year. It was then decided to hold the next annual Reunion at Unadilla, N. Y. H. Greenwald, Secretary, Cobleskill, N. Y. E. K. Smith, Secretary, Reading Center: Reunion 179th N. Y. in the "Armory," Elmira, Sept. 28. John W. Merwin, Secretary, Elmira: Re-

Cohocton, Sept. 20. W. W. Hill, M. D., Weston: Reunion 10th Ohio Cav., Delaware, Sept. 28 and 29. Aaron Oberbeck, Secretary, Wapakoneta:

union 161st N. Y., Warner's Opera House,

Reunion 57th Ohio, Wapakoneta, Sept. 20 and R. W. Peol, Secretary, Nevada: Reunion 55th Ohio, Norwalk, Sept. 20. O. W. Haynes, Secretary, Hudson, Mich.; Reunion 60th Obio (three years) Barnesville,

O., Oct. 4 and 5. W. B. Patterson, Secretary, Stockport: Reunion 62d Ohio, New Lexington, Sept. 21 and 22, Oscar L. Jackson, New Castle, Pa.: Reunion 63d Ohio, Nelsonville, Oct. 3 and 4, anniversary battle of Corinth.

Wm. Karn, Arcadia: Reunion 118th Ohio, Fort Recovery, Mercer County, Oct. 11 and 12. J. H. Snoots: Reunion 160th Ohio, Roseville, Sept. 12 and 13.

PENNSYLVANIA.